

REMARKS

This responds to the Office Action dated November 30, 2005, and the references cited therewith.

Claim 21 has been canceled. Claims 1-20 are now pending in this application.

§103 Rejection of the Claims

Claim 21 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Bornzin et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,456,881). Claim 21 has been cancelled herein. Applicant reserves the right, however, to prosecute claims similar or identical to claim 21 in one or more subsequent continuation applications.

Allowable Subject Matter

Applicant acknowledges the allowance of claims 1-20.

CONCLUSION

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance, and notification to that effect is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's attorney at (847) 432-7302 to facilitate prosecution of this application.

If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully submitted,

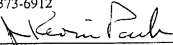
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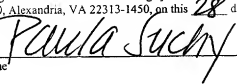
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